



Update

News from West Valley City Hall

August 2010

City Council Members:

- Mike Winder, Mayor
- Corey Rushton, At-Large
- Don Christensen, At-Large
- Carolynn Burt, District 1
- Steve Buhler, District 2
- Russ Brooks, District 3
- Steve Vincent, District 4

Public Meetings

City Council – first four Tuesdays of the month at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers.

Planning Commission – second and fourth Wednesday of the month at 4 p.m. in the Council Chambers.

City Phone Numbers:

- Main Number..... 801-966-3600
City Manager 801-963-3220
Police Department. 801-963-3386
Police Dispatch..... 801-840-4000
Fire Department..... 801-963-3336
Emergency911
Family Fitness Center
801-955-4000
Garbage Questions 801-955-3720
Storm Water Utility.. 801-963-3448
Housing Authority . 801-963-3320
Parks and Rec..... 801-955-4000
Harman Home 801-965-5822
Stonebridge Golf Course.....
801-957-9000
West Ridge Golf Course.....
801-965-5800
Graffiti Hot Line 801-963-3467
Animal Services..... 801-965-5800
Victims Services 801-963-3223
Ordinance Compliance
801-963-3289
Utah Cultural Celebration Center
801-965-5100

Website:
www.wvc-ut.gov

West Valley City Hall
3600 S. Constitution Blvd.
WVC, UT 84119

City Hall Hours:
Monday – Thursday
7 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Be a Good Neighbor

A message from Councilmember Steve Buhler

As a resident of West Valley City, I call on all residents to be good neighbors. I suggest three ways this can be done. The first is to watch out for your neighbor, make him feel secure in his home and possessions. Recently the city neighborhoods participated in the National Night Out Against Crime. If your neighborhood did not participate, take responsibility now to plan for next year. Start by creating a neighborhood watch. When my wife and I moved into our West Valley home fifteen years ago my neighbors, whom I did not know, Ron and Peggy, were at our door within days telling us about the neighborhood, the community and the neighborhood watch. That really impressed me. That torch has been passed to others over time and currently Dave and Mara chair our neighborhood watch. The feeling of safety and community continues. I probably would not have felt so safe, secure and involved - and likely would have moved long ago - if not for the great neighbors who have joined together in a mutually protective neighborhood watch. For help, contact the City Offices, or contact me directly.

The second way to be a good neighbor is to help with city services and improvements and

to support your neighbors financially? How will you do that? Simple. Do your shopping here. Your neighborhood stores and restaurants need your support. Each dollar you spend includes sales tax which directly supports our local government services. Whenever you seek goods or services, ask yourself, “Can I get it WVC?” If you can, do it. If you can’t, let me know and I will see what we can do as a city to bring those goods and services here. Go visit the newly renovated Valley Fair Mall. Think about what new stores you would like to see there. Buy something. Nothing encourages new business like spending money.

Third, beautify your place. If you were awarded a WVC “Clean and Beautiful” award, I thank you and congratulate you. If you have not, maybe it’s your turn. Abraham Lincoln said, “I like to see a man proud of the place in which he lives. I like to see a man live so that his place will be proud of him.” I have not received a “Clean and Beautiful” award, but I am very thankful to live in a neighborhood where many such awards have been given.

I welcome your thoughts on how we can all be good WVC neighbors.

**West Valley City Police
Supports DEA National
Prescription Drug
Take-Back Day**



September 25 from 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
Valley Fair Mall Customer Service Desk
(3601 S. 2700 W.)
Wal-Mart (5675 W. 6200 S.)

Unused or expired prescription medications are a public safety issue, leading to accidental poisoning, overdose, and abuse. This service is free and anonymous. Tablets, capsules, and all other solid dosage forms will be collected. Intravenous solutions, injectibles, and syringes will not be accepted.

Need home repairs?

West Valley City Grants Division is pleased to announce that funding is available for future and current West Valley City residents who may qualify for the following programs:

- **Emergency Repair Program**
West Valley City will provide up to \$1,000.00 grant to low income families who need to make repairs in order to correct a current emergency condition. Eligible applicants will only be assisted for those repairs urgently required to make a home safe.
 - **Mobile Home Repairs**
West Valley City resident owners of mobile homes may qualify for a grant to make needed repairs on their mobile home.
 - **Rehabilitation Loans**
Homeowners in West Valley City may qualify for low interest or deferred interest loans in order to carry out needed repairs on their residence. The loan may be used to correct present home problems, accessibility modifications, code violations of health and safety concerns and/or energy improvements.
 - **Down Payment Assistance**
West Valley City will provide a \$5,000.00 grant/loan to eligible low-to-moderate income families to be used for down payment and/or closing costs for a home located within city boundaries. The grant/loan must be repaid if the eligible applicant resells, transfers title, refinances the home, or moves within the first five years of ownership.
- If interested in any of the above programs, you may contact Gabriela Hernandez at (801)963-3369 or www.wvc-ut.gov/housing for further information. Available funding will be given on a first come, first serve basis.

WVC TV

Now broadcasting on
Comcast channel 17, and online
at www.wvctv.org.

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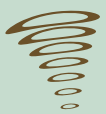
with Natalie Hobbs



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Directly from West Valley City Hall.

UTAH CULTURAL CELEBRATION CENTER END OF YEAR EVENTS

Gallery Hours Mon-Thur 9am-6pm & by arrangement



ISA Fall Show

Intermountain Society of Artists
September 3 - October 26



Day of the Dead

Community Celebration Nov 1, 6-9pm
Display Nov 1 - 4



Trees of Diversity

Nov 19 - Dec 30.



Winter Market

Handcrafted Arts, Food, Music, & Dance
Sat, Dec 4, 10am - 8pm



Winter Concert

Bonnie Harris Christmas Concert
Dec 13, 7pm



CulturalCelebration.org
801-965-5100



Harman Senior Recreation Center Activities

4090 South 3600 West
801-965-5822

The Harman Senior Recreation Center is a recreation and activity center for active seniors, offering a variety of fun and exciting classes, outings, and adventures. The Harman Center also offers a variety of informational seminars specifically for seniors.

September

- 16 Ice Cream (by Beehive Homes), 10:30 a.m.
- 16 Be Healthy Workshop, 10:45 a.m.
- 17 Fun Bunch Lunch, 10:45 a.m.
- 21 Movies
- 22 Tie Day, 11 a.m.
- 23 Decathlon
- 23 AARP Driving Class
- 24 Murray City Museum, 11:15 a.m.
- 29 Flu Shots, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

For a complete calendar, visit
www.wvc-ut.gov/harman.

Weekly Activities

- Scrapbooking Class - Mondays, 1 p.m.
- Basket Weaving - Thursdays, 9:30 a.m.
- Chess Club - Wednesdays, 12:30 p.m.
- Line Dancing - Mondays, 12:30 p.m.
- Ceramics - Thursdays, 10 a.m.
- Railroad Club - Tuesdays & Thursdays, 10 a.m.
- Tai Chi - Tuesdays, 1:30 p.m., FREE
- Bingo - Fridays, 10:15 a.m.
- Choir - Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 10 a.m.
- Drama Class - Wednesdays, 1 p.m.
- Billiards and Cards - Daily



Calendar September

- 1 Face of Utah Sculpture (through September 26)
Utah Cultural Celebration Center
- 3 Intermountain Society of Artists Exhibit (through October 26)
Utah Cultural Celebration Center
- 16 Gary Allan
Maverik Center, 7:30 p.m.
- 25 DEA Prescription Drug Take-Back Day, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

October

- 1 Intermountain Society of Artists Exhibit (through October 26)
Utah Cultural Celebration Center
- 6 Milk with the Mayor
Mayor's Office, West Valley City Hall, 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
- 7 Peace on Earth Awards Banquet (visit www.sladvc.org to buy \$15 tickets)
Utah Cultural Celebration Center, 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
- 12 Domestic Violence Awareness Month Candlelight Vigil and Program. Walk begins at Valley Fair Mall Outdoor Plaza, 5:30 p.m.
- 17 WWE Presents WORLD TOUR!
Maverik Center, 5 p.m.
- 19 Jagermeister Music Tour
Maverik Center, 7 p.m.
- 22 Utah Grizzlies vs. Bakersfield Condors (Home Opener)
Maverik Center, 7 p.m.
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Maverik Center, 7 p.m.

FREE! Spay or Neuter for Pit Bulls or Pit Mixes

October 11 - 16, 2010
Pre-registration is required
in person.

WVC Shelter Hours:
Monday through Friday
10:00 am to 6:00 pm

<http://www.facebook.com/pitbullrescueut>



FREE! Spay or Neuter for Pit Bulls or Pit Mixes!
Have Pittie in partnership with West Valley City Animal Services will be providing 100 dog sterilizations for Pit Bulls or Pit Mixes absolutely FREE!

Applicants **MUST** pre-register in person at the shelter located at
4522 West 3500 West in West Valley City, Utah.

Some restrictions may apply.

Space is limited, so please register early.

Making Life Better

October is National Domestic Violence Awareness Month and West Valley City's Victim Services Office strives to reduce the trauma of a crime by empowering and assisting crime victims in reconstructing their lives through advo-

cacy, support, information, education and referrals. Victim Services provides aid for victims of violent crime, mainly domestic violence. Victim Services provides emotional support through the judicial system, references to help with money, clothing, food and housing among other needs. The Victim Services Office also helps with protective orders and operates a crisis line (801-231-8185) that is available 24 hours with a few exceptions.

Send comments, questions and story ideas to:
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